

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) Polycarbonate moulding compositions containing hydrocarbons with 15 to 600 carbons, characterized in that

these hydrocarbons are contained in quantities of 0.005 to 5.0 wt.% relative to the weight of the entire moulding composition,

display a proportion by weight of branches of between 5 wt.% and 30 wt.% relative to the carbons in the chain, and wherein the hydrocarbons contain hydrogenated isoprene units.
2. (Previously Presented): Polycarbonate moulding compositions according to Claim 1, characterised in that they contain 0.01 to 2.0 wt.% of hydrocarbons.
3. (Previously Presented): Polycarbonate moulding compositions according to Claim 1, wherein the hydrocarbons consist of 15 to 100 carbon atoms.
4. (Cancelled)
5. (Currently Amended): Polycarbonate moulding compositions according to Claim ~~[[4]]~~ 1, characterised in that in addition to the hydrogenated isoprene units they also contain hydrogenated 2,3-dimethyl butadiene, hydrogenated butadiene, hydrogenated propene and/or hydrogenated isobutene, in the range from 0-50 mol% (relative to the isoprene units).

6. (Previously Presented): Polycarbonate moulding compositions according to Claim 1, wherein the hydrocarbons consist of 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 or 40 C atoms or are mixtures of the above hydrocarbons.
7. (Previously Presented) Polycarbonate moulding compositions according to Claim 1 further comprising at least one of heat stabilisers, UV/IR stabilisers, other release agents, flame retardants, antidripping agents, lubricants, flow promoters, fillers, colorants, glass fibres, fillers and blend components.
8. (Previously Presented): Moulding compositions according to Claim 7, wherein the polycarbonates used are those based on at least one of 4,4'-dihydroxydiphenyl, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) phenyl ethane, 2,2-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) propane, 2,2-bis(3,5-dimethyl-4-hydroxyphenyl) propane, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-m/p-diisopropyl benzene, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) cyclohexane and 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3,3,5-trimethyl cyclohexane.
9. (Previously Presented) Moulding compositions according to Claim 7 characterised in that the polycarbonates used are those based on 2,2-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) propane and/or 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3,3,5-trimethyl cyclohexane and/or 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-m/p-diisopropyl benzene.
10. (Previously Presented) Mouldings produced from the moulding compositions according to Claim 1.
11. (Previously Presented): A thermoplastic molding composition comprising polycarbonate resin and 0.005 to 5.0 % relative to the weight of the composition of at least one hydrocarbon in the form of C₁₅₋₆₀₀-methyl-branched alkane wherein the weight proportion of the branches is 10 to 30 percent relative to the weight of carbons in the alkane chain.

12. (Previously Presented): The polycarbonate molding composition according to Claim 11 wherein said hydrocarbon is present in an amount of 0.01 to 2.0.% relative to the weight of the composition.
13. (Cancelled)
14. (Previously Presented): The polycarbonate molding composition according to Claim 11 wherein said hydrocarbon is in the form of C₁₅₋₁₀₀-methyl-branched alkane.
15. (Previously Presented): The polycarbonate molding composition according to Claim 11 wherein said hydrocarbon is squalane.
16. (Previously Presented): The polycarbonate molding composition according to Claim 11 wherein the polycarbonate is based on at least one member selected from the group consisting of 4,4'-dihydroxydiphenyl, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) phenyl ethane, 2,2-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) propane, 2,2-bis(3,5-dimethyl-4-hydroxyphenyl) propane, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-m/p-diisopropyl benzene, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl) cyclohexane and 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3,3,5-trimethyl cyclohexane.
17. (Previously Presented): The polycarbonate molding composition according to Claim 11 wherein the polycarbonate is based on at least one member selected from the group consisting of 2,2-bis(4-hydroxy-phenyl) propane, 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3,3,5-trimethyl cyclohexane and 1,1-bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)-m/p-diisopropyl benzene.

18. (Previously Presented): A molded article comprising the composition of Claim 11.

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